

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NASHVILLE DIVISION**

DO NO HARM, a nonprofit corporation
Incorporated in the State of Virginia

Plaintiff,

v.

WILLIAM LEE, in his official capacity as
Governor of the State of Tennessee,

Defendant.

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Case No. 3:24-cv-01334
Chief Judge Campbell

JOINT MOTION FOR STIPULATED BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Pursuant to agreement among counsel, Defendant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court extend the deadlines for Defendant's response to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction to December 24, 2024, and Plaintiff's reply to January 6, 2025.

Plaintiff served Governor Lee with the Motion for Preliminary Injunction on December 5, 2024. The Complaint was served on December 3, 2024. Local Rule 7.01(a)(3) requires that responses in opposition to motions be filed and served "not later than fourteen (14) days after service of the motion" Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(1)(A)(i) provides that answers to complaints must be filed and served "within 21 days after being served with the summons and complaint" Under Local Rule 7.01(a)(3), Defendant's response in opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction is due December 19, 2024. This joint motion requests that the Court allow Defendant to respond to the Motion for Preliminary Injunction on the date the answer to the complaint is due—December 24, 2024.

Plaintiff's counsel has no opposition to this request and agreed to the December 24th and January 6th deadlines by email on December 10, 2024. The parties make this joint request in order to simplify and consolidate the briefing timeline in this matter and to accommodate work schedules for counsel for the Defendant.

CONCLUSION

Defendant respectfully requests this Court grant the motion to allow Defendant until December 24, 2024, to respond to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction and Plaintiff until January 6, 2025, to respond.

Respectfully submitted,

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